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RSL's lone testament to Gallipoli heroes a descendent of original pine

BY ERIN PEARSON

A RARE Lone Pine sapling is commemorating Australia's 2200 Gallipoli war dead at Geelong

President Rodney Meeke said the RSL was "thrilled" to plant a descendent of the original Gallipoli Lone Pine, a cone of which returned with Australian soldiers in 1915.

"It's sensational because it represents a very important part of Gallipoli history and World War I history," Mr Meeke said.

"We've made sure we've put it as part of our latest redevelopment. It's a wonderful showpiece and we're very proud to have it."

Mr Meeke said Legacy and Geelong RSL worked on obtaining the sapling for 18 months.

The sapling had pride of place at the RSL's entrance, he said.

Four surviving seedlings of the original Lone Pine were planted around the state before Melbourne's Department of Conservation and Natural Resources took over responsibility for subsequent seedlings.

The region has two other Lone Pines at Torquay and North Geelong. Both faced threats amid golf club redevelopments but were retained amid community

Legacy Geelong's John Burton welcomed the latest addition as



City vacancies 'down'

BY JOHN VAN KLAVEREN

CENTRAL Geelong has defied winter gloom and retail woes to record a fall in the number of empty shops, according to latest

Richard Jenkins, of property research firm Opteon, said the vacancy rate dropped from 8.4 to

of Victoria's fastest-growing regional cities," he said.

Mr Jenkins said street frontage vacancies decreased from 9.7 to 8.9 per cent.

'Certainly some retailers have struggled in line with the closure through recent administrations of Borders and Brown Sugar. 8.2 per cent in the past six months. However, the opening of new stores "These results bode well for including Dimmeys and the Reject

Geelong, which is considered one Shop has generated leasing activity.

"Interestingly, there has been a rise of one per cent to 6.1 per cent in vacancies for the more-expensive prime shops, while the vacancy rate for secondary stock fell from 13 to 11.2 per cent."

Mr Jenkins said new tenants in the central city area included Trenery, Witchery, GNC Livewell, Dimmeys and Mad Cap Cafe.

Notable departures included called CBD crisis was perception

Borders, Angus and Robertson, rather than reality. Brown Sugar, Perfume Empire, Vodafone and Renegade Republic.

Fifty-one per cent of retail vacancy resides in premises larger than 500 square metres," Mr Jenkins said.

The Independent reported in April that Opteon believed its figures demonstrated Geelong's so-

In the latest report, Mr Jenkins said department stores still accounted for the highest amount of occupied space in the central city area at 19.8 per cent.

Clothing and footwear was next on 14.6 per cent, then food retailing at 11.9 per cent.

Opteon commercial services director Todd Devine said retailers were seeking smaller spaces.

"The onus is on landlords to consider subdividing these larger premises to attract new tenants into the CBD rather than wait for a single retailer to occupy the entire vacant space.

"While retail sales growth is modest, a number of national and international retailers continue to plan to expand, capitalising on Geelong's growing population.

Retailers eye Ford site, p7





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PIONEER ORCHID FARM



Gotta have faith: Nicole Karberry and daughter Tiana, 9, take a break during the working bee.

Garden blossoms in show of faiths

BY TOM BENNETT

THE REGION'S Buddhist community now has a spectacular spring garden thanks to Geelong Interfaith Network.

The network's volunteers gave the 20-hectare grounds of Drol Kar Buddhist Centre, near Anglesea, a facelift last weekend.

Network spokesman Randall Apps said the work-

ing bee attracted 45 eager gardeners and helpers.
"Lots of work was carried out by our team. Among their activities were tree lopping, pruning, weeding

and general garden and landscape maintenance." Mr Apps said the Buddhists were delighted with

the contributions by people of many faiths.

Geelong Interfaith Network formed 10 years ago in the wake of the 9/11 terrorist attacks.

The network aims to bring together people of different faiths in an atmosphere of tolerance, understanding and acceptance.

The network counts Christians, Jews, Muslims, Buddhists and Hindus among its members

The network's next major event will be at Cunningham Pier on October 19 to commemorate the 10th anniversary of the deaths of 353 asylum seekers who died when their overcrowded boat sank near Christmas Island.

"Flowers will be thrown into the water", Mr Apps said, "one for every victim".

Cabbies on course 'for better service'

BY ERIN PEARSON

GEELONG's taxi drivers are undertaking refresher sessions to improve services, according to their boss

Geelong Taxi Network chief executive officer Peter Valentine said about 40 drivers a month were attending sessions since the program began in July.

The program coincides with Victorian Taxi Association (VTA) recommending compulsory monthly training for new drivers to a state inquiry. Premier Ted Baillieu has said

the inquiry would investigate improving public confidence in the industry and enhancing driver support.

Mr Valentine said Geelong had its "own training regime"

"It's quite detailed for an urban or country depot," he said.

"A driver doesn't have to do anything else once they have their driver's authority because they've technically allegedly attached themselves to a network but drivers are always learning and we encourage them to come to our new refresher training."

Mr Valentine said the ses-

sions would refresh drivers on changes to regulations, dispatch systems, safety ranks, street names and laws.

"We would also support compulsory training Geelong. It's been on the cards for a while."

VTA chief David Samuel said the inquiry submission suggested 12-month training licences, anger and stress management courses and half-day sessions for metropolitan drivers.

"There have been a few incidents recently in Geelong, so it's very important to get on top of

issues. A vast majority of drivers are great, we only receive one complaint for every 9000 trips state wide, but incidents can have a big impact on the way the industry is perceived," Samuel said.

"We want to make sure new recruits are equipped to deal with situations and know what's expected of them.

"In Geelong things have been going really well for a long time we don't want to see problems and patterns that that we've had in metropolitan Melbourne appear. We must be proactive."



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Geelong '6000 homes short by 2020' - H

Roy on the Roadster to festival with restored Buick

BY TOM BENNETT

GEELONG faces critical housing shortages within a decade, according to a peak building industry body.

Housing Industry Association warned the shortage would reach almost 6000 homes by 2020 if building rates failed to dramatically increase.

HIA economist Geordan Murray said the disturbing forecast was based on current building and demographic

"We looked at housing construction numbers for the past 20 years and extrapolated those figures into the future. We also took into account pro-

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tled its way across the cobblestones,

mankind has had a love affair with the

St Leonards enthusiast Roy Cook is

The object of his affection is a beau-

tifully restored 1923 Buick Roadster. The "old girl" would make a rare

public appearance at the St Leonards

Festival on Melbourne Cup day week-

He expected her to attract many

The vintage two-seater would join a large number of other old-time vehi-

cles to strut their "classic stuff" during

Mr Cook spent 15,000 hours over two decades restoring the Buick to former glory "the old fashioned way",

"Parts I couldn't buy, beg or other-

The car, 12 years older than Mr Cook, had a special place in his heart. "She reflects the simplicity and technology of a bygone era. The

wise acquire I made myself on a lathe in my home workshop," he said.

frame is solid timber, as is the dash-

board and wheel spokes.

als used in the construction.

eager fans fascinated by the grand old

automobile.

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end, Mr Cook said.

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jected population increases as supplied that children are staying at home by the Australian Bureau of Statistics.

Mr Murray said the HIA's method forecast a national shortage of 500,000 homes by the end of the decade.

The shortage in Surf Coast would be 774 homes and 100 in Borough of

Mr Murray said the figures would be on top of accommodation shortages already experienced in many parts of the country.

'In 2007 occupancy rates per dwelling were falling but now that trend is beginning to reverse.

"There's strong anecdotal evidence

longer. There are also signs of a growing trend for houses to be shared by multiple families.

"These are the sort of effects the constraint of housing supply is having."

Mr Murray welcomed recent releases of new property subdivisions in the Geelong region.

"Large estates like those at Armstrong Creek, Clifton Springs and Lara will help mitigate the problem".

Mr Murray urged all levels of government to work with the building industry to avert the predicted housing

"Cooperation between everyone involved is the key to solving this potential problem.

"The three arms of government must support the housing industry and help deliver the aspirations of potential home owners."

Mr Murray pointed out that 35 per cent of new-home building costs went to governments and taxing authorities.

"Taxes like the GST, stamp duty, land tax an infrastructure charges have a serious and negative effect on affordability and the potential for growth,"

in brief

Storages holding

THE REGION'S water storages have remained over 90 per cent capacity after the first week of spring, according to official figures.

Barwon Water recorded the storages at 91.9 per cent this week after 12.4mm of rain in the catchment area, with the Bureau of Meteorology predicting wet weather over the next fortnight.

Jobs cut

TWENTY-five staff have lost their jobs in a "restructure" of Lara timber products company Tasco, according to managing director Bart Cawley.

He said Tasco the jobs had to go to save the company amid a "significant reduction in the quantity and quality" of logs, with supplies halved since 2010.

Palliative cash

OVER \$300,000 in new funding will boost palliative care services in Geelong and on the Bellarine Peninsula, State Government has announced.

Health Minister David Davis said the money was part of a statewide package for "immediate improvements in services", including funding for carers' costs and after-hours support.

Water board

A GEELONG undertaker and former Liberal state election candidate has taken over as chair of the region's water board, according to State

Michael King has replaced Roger Lowrey at Barwon Water, with the Government also appointing to the board Geelong councillor Stretch Kontelj, Colac businessman David Harris and communications company operator Suzanne Batten.

Whittington talent

ASPIRING Whittington performers will vie next week for places in a suburban talent quest, Geelong's council has announced.

Mayor John Mitchell said actor Terry Dansic would conduct a workshop before the audition next Thursday for the grand final of Whittington's Got Talent on October 17.

Painting unveiled

GEELONG Gallery has unveiled an Arthur Streeton painting as its latest "high-profile" aquistion.

The gallery began displaying Ocean blue, Lorne on Monday after paying \$230,000 for the artwork.



Old timer: Roy Cook with his 1923 Buick.

from the highest grade steel, there are economy rate about the same as a owners manual. no modern alloys or space age materi- modern-day four-wheel-drive.

By today's standards the old Buick a thirsty 14 litres per 100km, or exact-delivered enough grunt to send the past and a trip down memory lane.

"The engine components are made is a bit of a gas guzzler, achieving an ly the fuel flow cited in the original old girl cruising down the highway at

The four-cylinder engine was rated Mr Cook said the vehicle returned at 14 horsepower, he said, which for anyone hankering for a peek at the

Picture: Emily Lane 70051

a respectable 60km/h.

And maybe that's just fast enough

Residents in battle to defeat 'freight hub' plan

BY JOHN VAN KLAVEREN

LARA and Little River residents face a battle to defeat plans for an intermodal freight hub on their doorstep, a community action group says.

Lara Little River Rural Action Group president Patrick O'Halloran said the group would investigate how to have the freight hub removed from Lara's

O'Halloran said.

His group was encouraged that Planning Minister Matthew Guy had placed a hold on the project, he

A spokesperson for Mr Guy said facilitating the development would be "premature in view of the State Government's proposed Avalon Airport rail link".

A spokesperson for developer Buildev, Mark "We've won a battle but not the war as yet," Mr Regent, said the company had followed all planning

processes "and spent about \$500,000 on it".

Mr Regent was "surprised" at an Avalon Airport bid to accommodate the hub.

"It's a bit disingenuous on the part of Avalon that after three years planning they want to jump on back of it and get a free ride."

Mr Regent said "various parties" appeared to have forgotten that any rail link to Avalon would have to go through Buildev land.



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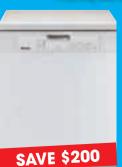


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Stadium, library share \$20m

BY JOHN VAN KLAVEREN

GEELONG'S two priority projects will receive \$10 million each, Regional Australia Minister Simon Crean has announced.

The city's library and heritage centre upgrade and Skilled Stadium stage four redevelopment had both requested \$15 million each from the Government's Regional Development Australia fund.

Mayor John Mitchell said both projects could be delivered despite the funding shortfall.

'Geelong getting \$20 million out of \$150 million available nationally is a great result," he said.

Cr Mitchell was unconcerned about the funding shortfall of \$5 million for both projects.

"We'll get the library project up and running. We've already pushed the go button on looking for architects and surveyors.

"It's a win-win for everyone. As the managers of Skilled Stadium, we're happy that was funded as well.

Cats chief Brian Cook welcomed the "sensible" outcome.

"The federal funding will get us lights and the big screen, both of which are required to get more events to the stadium.'

Mr Cook said the shortfall



Funding: Simon Crean.

meant the upgrade would have to go ahead without a planned sports museum, an extended public concourse and lounge area.



Sensible: Brian Cook.

Demolition of the stadium's Wade Stand would begin in late October or early November to make way for stage four.

Mr Cook said the project was nity reading areas, children's still awaiting funding commitments of \$3 million from the AFL and \$2.5 million from City Hall.

A spokesman for Mr Crean said the final amount had been part of on-going discussions with appli-

Geelong Regional Library Corporation head Patti Manolis said the project already had city funding of \$20 million and a State Government pledge of \$15 million.

"The project will see a new multi-storey state of the art 7000square-metre library and heritage facility built.

"Facilities will include commu-

exploration and discovery zone, youth space and multimedia zones, community IT areas, library collections, community

meeting rooms and an auditorium. "It will also strengthen access to information and learning for a rapidly growing population in the

Geelong region. Mr Crean said the library project would create 299 jobs during construction and 17 jobs upon completion in December 2014.

The Skilled Stadium redevelopment would create 106 jobs during construction, he said.

Volunteers rally to aid sanctuary

BY ERIN PEARSON

ALCOA staff have swapped suits for spades to help clean up a Barwon Heads animal sanctuary after fire ripped through its koala hospital last month.

Jirrahlinga Koala and Wildlife Sanctuary Director Tehree Gordon said Alcoa volunteers spent the day weeding, planting, painting and cleaning to help put the sanctuary back on track.

The volunteers gained as much fulfillment from the day as the sanctuary, she said.

"The input from the employees at Alcoa not only assisted in building a memorial for the lives that were lost but gave our sanctuary staff a chance to help others understand our work and devastation caused by the fire," Mrs Gordon said.

"They all had such a fantastic attitude and absolutely boosted the moral of the staff here who've been very flat since the fire. We're extremely grateful because it really helped the Jirrahlinga staff move on."

Fire ripped through Jirrahlinga's koala hospital in July, killing six marsupials.

Workplace volunteering coordinator BacLinks helped put 13 Alcoa employees to work.

BacLinks' Sheree Holdsworth said both organisations wanted to help after reading about the fire.

"We strongly believe in the amazing difference that can be made through local business supporting community groups in need," she said.

"The volunteers poured their hearts and souls into the day and really made a huge difference. Jirrahlinga does such a great job rehabilitating animals and educating the community about animals, so the volunteers were all itching to help.'



Helping hands: Patrick Phillips, at front, and Peter O'Brien get to work on repairs at Jirrahlinga Koala and Wildlife Sanctuary. Picture: Tommy Ritchie 69589

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Get smart: Technician Wayne Landwehr, Jo Scott, son Daniel and Powercor's Rob Learey with the region's first smart meter. Picture: John Conway 69984

First meter goes to 'fearless' family

BY JOHN VAN KLAVEREN

JO SCOTT'S three children are all energy conscious, so becoming Geelong's first family to receive a smart meter was "exciting".

"The children thought it was the best thing ever. They looked through the information pack with me," Mrs Scott said.

"They've all learned about

saving energy at school, so they're going to do the meter reading for me. Daniel is already running around the house turning off all the lights.

Mrs Scott said the Grovedale family was keen to know just how much power it used.

Powercor plans to install 110,000 of the controversial meters in its service area

The company said the meters would end estimated billing while offering faster fault detection and response.

Mrs Scott brushed off other consumers' concerns about bigger bills or radiation from the

"We're happy to embrace new technology and saw no dangers or health issues.'

Retail eyes on old Ford land

BY JOHN VAN KLAVEREN

ZONING changes have revived plans for a bulky goods retail centre on a former Ford site in North Geelong, according to Beacon Lighting chief Ian Robinson.

Mr Robinson said he would move his Beacon Lighting store to the other side of Melbourne Rd as part of any retail redevelopment of the Ford land.

State Government's changes to zoning rules for bulky goods retail created an opportunity to "revisit" plans for retailing on the site.

The previous government scuttled plans for a retail centre, HomeTown, with a 2008 ruling the land might be needed for industrial expansion.

But the changes include allowing retailing in industrial zones, extending the list of business able to operate under the bulky goods rules and lowering the minimum store size

"The changes will encourage developers to go ahead with further developments because they'll have a bigger pool of potential tenants to draw from," Mr Robinson said.

"It's still up to council and the local community to decide but it's a chance for people to revisit the idea. It was discouraged because it was on light-industrial land but that's a silly restriction.'

Retailers Bulky Goods Association head Phillipa Kelly said the changes would stimulate "millions of dollars" of investment in Victoria.

The former Market Square Shopping Centre manager said a significant proportion of the investment would be in the Geelong region.

Super Retail group director Peter Birtles said the changes could help his company open new stores here.

The group, including Super Cheap Auto, BCF, Rays Outdoors and Gold Cross Cycles, planned two more stores in the region.

"This opens up sites not under previous consideration, especially for our Gold Cross brand which wasn't really viable under the

"It means developments can have a number of retailers apart from just the big box stores and will make them into seven day a week centres instead of shoppers mainly coming out on weekends."

restrictions.

Geelong councillor Rod Macdonald, who holds council's planning and economic development portfolios, welcomed the changes.

"A number of organisations are looking for sites in the region and were facing issues around whether their proposal constituted a legitimate use," he said.

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Daryl seeks 'angels' to help Light the Night

LIGHT the Night is "calling on all angels" to help brighten the lives of cancer victims.

BY CHELSEA KENNEALLY

The annual national event will use lanterns stylised to represent love, life and hope to raise money and awareness for Leukaemia Foundation.

The foundation will use the proceeds to help find cures for leukaemia and other blood cancers and to support patients and

Geelong's Light the Night will be at Steampacket Gardens on September 14.

Daryl King said his role as a Light the Night ambassador was " a bit of a privi-

Mr King was diagnosed with leukaemia in March, 2009.

He will light a white lantern at this year's



Priviledge: Daryl King

Mr King said he would reflect on his journey with cancer.

He still struggled with fatigue and had to keep a watch on his heath as other problems

Light the Night meant "a huge amount" to Mr King.

'You go there to speak to people who have been though the same thing as you and they're the only people who understand what you're going through or have been though. It's a terrible way to meet some of the most fantastic people that you could come across.

Mr King said he was extremely grateful for the Leukaemia Foundation's support.

He urged participation in Light the

"The best thing the public can do to help the Leukaemia Foundation is to donate what they've and offer support to people who have gone through this and their families."

Mr King said anyone interested in sponsoring him or participating in Light the Night could phone 1800 500 088 or visit

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Seat 'safe' for MP amid Gillard woe

BY TOM BENNETT

LABOR Member Corangamite Darren Cheeseman believes he will retain his marginal seat at the next federal election despite his strong support of embattled Prime Minister Julia.

Mr Cheeseman said he was "strongly confident" of holding Corangamite despite Ms Gillard's poor showing in the latest

Newspoll this week put the Prime Minister's personal approval rating at 23 per cent, the second lowest on record.

Mr Cheeseman said he was "staunchly supportive" of Ms Gillard despite the polls and speculation of a leadership

change. He was the first (current voter dissatisfaction) to Australian federal MP to publicly back Ms Gillard's prime ministerial credentials in the lead up to her replacement of Kevin Rudd last year.

Mr Cheeseman was confident his alliance with Ms Gillard would not cost him votes in at the next election.

"The PM is looked on very favourably in the electorate as she is throughout Victoria".

Mr Cheeseman said Corangamite would remain in Labor hands despite being one of Australia's most-marginal elec-

"The seat is not in jeopardy. "We'll come back from this win the seat and the government"

Mr Cheeseman described the latest polls as "pretty meaninggiven the next federal election was due in 2013.

But he conceded the figures reflected community concerns over the Gillard Government's handling of issues including immigration, the proposed carbon tax and the Craig Thompson credit card affair.

"I see a lot of concern and anxiety out there among the voters," Mr Cheeseman sad.

"But when we sit down and explain our agenda to them they become much more supportive

Mr Cheeseman said the Government's fortunes would change once it had "bedded down" key initiatives such as immigration reform, its climate change package and the proposed mining tax.

He believed the Government faced an "extremely trying and difficult time"

"We still have a lot of hard work to undertake but, despite everything, Julia Gillard is still the best person to lead the nation.

"She's undertaking a very significant program of economic and social reform.

"The polls are not good but, in any case, the Prime Minister is not poll-driven."

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PUBLIC MEETING

NOTICE OF COUNCIL MEETING

The next meeting of the Greater Geelong City Council will be held at the Council Conference and Reception Centre, City Hall, Little Malop Street, Geelong on Tuesday 13 September commencing at 7.00pm.

Details of issues to be considered will be available on the City's website www.geelongaustralia.com.au

The meeting is open to the public.



PUBLIC NOTICES



SUSTAINABLE HOUSE DAY 2011

Some of Geelong's most sustainable homes and edible gardens will be on display on Sunday 11 September.

The event is free of charge and will provide community members with the opportunity to learn from experts in sustainable house design and visit local homes that display sustainable design features.

The event is organised by the Geelong Sustainability Group in cooperation with Geelong Organic Gardeners and Geelong's Transition Towns and is proudly sponsored by the City of Greater Geelong.

- 17 Boyne Avenue, East Geelong
- 264 Kilgour Street, East Geelong 58 Wimmera Avenue, Manifold Heights
- 40 South Street, Belmont 54 Slevin Street, North Geelong
- 189 The Esplanade, Indented Head

More information about houses and gardens is available at:

- www.geelongsustainability.org.au
- www.geelongaustralia.com.au www.sustainablehouseday.com

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Belmont (enter from Fryers Road)

Cathy Walters & Donna Walsh, Department of Families, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs, Expert panel:

Australian Government, Canberra

Lawyers from leading Geelong Legal firms -Coulter Roache; Harwood Andrews; Wightons Lawyers;

Whyte, Just & Moore providing advice.

Please RSVP by Monday 19 September 2011 to ensure your seat at this forum. Email foundation@karingal.org.au or phone 5249 8919.

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most common requests.

HAVE YOUR SAY

NOTICE OF AN APPLICATION FOR **PLANNING PERMIT**

The land affected by the application is located at: 1/63 Madeley Street, Ocean Grove

The application is for a permit to:

Variation of building envelope included on PS645735C to allow a 3.5 metre front setback.

The applicant for the permit is: M Schomacker

The application reference number is: 927/2011

You may look at the application and any documents that support the application at:

- Geelong West Customer Service Centre 153a Pakington Street Monday to Friday 10:00am to 2:00pm
- Myers Street Customer Service Centre 131 Myers Street, Geelong Monday to Friday 8.00am to 5.00pm
- www.geelongaustralia.com.au/residents/planning/advertising.aspx

The Responsible Authority will not decide on the application before

The application can be viewed during office hours and is free of charge. Any person who may be affected by the granting of the permit may object or make other submissions to the Responsible Authority, City of Greater Geelong, PO Box 104, Geelong VIC 3220. If after viewing the file you wish to discuss the application further please contact the Statutory Planning department on 5272 4456.

An objection must:

17 September 2011.

- Be sent to the responsible authority in writing.
- Include the reasons for the objection.
- State how the objector would be affected.

If you object, the Responsible Authority will advise you of its decision.

Please be aware that copies of objections/submissions received may be made available to any person for the purpose of consideration as part of the planning process in accordance with the Planning and Environment Act, 1987. Personal information will be used solely by Council in accordance with the Planning and Environment Act, 1987

PUBLIC MEETING - COMMUNITY GARDEN AT GRINTER RESERVE

THURSDAY 15 SEPTEMBER, 6.00PM TO 7.00PM GEELONG EAST MENS' SHED (BEHIND SPLASHDOWN, COPPARDS ROAD, MOOLAP)

In response to expressions of interest from local residents, the City of Greater Geelong will be establishing a community garden between the Geelong East Mens' Shed and Splashdown, off Coppards Road in Moolap.

A public meeting will be held with Mayor Cr John Mitchell for community members interested in finding out more. The meeting will discuss what's needed to successfully establish a community garden, and a project steering committee will be selected.

For more information please contact Tim Goddard on 5272 4024 or via email to tgoddard@geelongcity.vic.gov.au, or Anne Horsley at ahorsley@geelongcity.vic.gov.au

NEWCOMB - WHITTINGTON DRAINAGE / FLOOD STUDY DRAFT REPORT

Parts of Newcomb and Whittington are known to experience frequent and serious flooding related to the stormwater drainage system.

The City has engaged specialist engineering consultants to undertake the Newcomb - Whittington Drainage / Flood Study

The study is utilising computer modelling to identify properties that are affected by a 'once in one hundred year' flood.

The City is seeking public comment on the Draft Report of the Newcomb - Whittington Drainage / Flood Study.

The Draft Report and Provisional Flood Extent Map are on exhibition for public comment until 16 September 2011.

- City Hall 30 Gheringhap Street, Geelong Monday to Friday 8.00am to 5.00pm
- Newcomb Library, corner Wilsons Road and Bellarine Highway, Newcomb Monday, Tuesday Thursday, Friday 10.00am to 5.30pm, Wednesday 10.00am to 8.00pm, Saturday 9.30am to 12.00noon

The Executive Summary of the Draft Report can be viewed on our website www.geelongaustralia.com.au/council/yoursay

Written enquires or comments may be submitted until 23 September 2011 to Manager Engineering Services, City of Greater Geelong, PO Box 104, Geelong VIC 3220

For further information contact Richard Wojnarowski on 5272 4829

MUNICIPAL FIRE MANAGEMENT PLAN

COMMUNITY CONSULTATION

The City has a legislative requirement to have a Municipal Fire Management Plan (MFMP). The purpose of this document is to provide a strategy for the coordination of fire prevention measures.

The City is currently seeking feedback on its draft Municipal Fire Management Plan. The draft document has been created by the Municipal Fire Management Committee which consists of representatives from across Council together with many representatives from outside agencies

One important aspect of implementing the MFMP is to engage the community so that they have opportunity to have input into the fire management planning process. It ensures that the City's MFMP responds to the community's needs, values and perceived risks.

Submissions are welcome before 5.00pm Friday 30 September 2011.

Written comments may be submitted online on our website www.geelongaustralia.com.au/council/yoursay or alternatively post your comments to:

David Skurrie - Infrastructure Operations and Waste City of Greater Geelong, PO Box 104, Geelong VIC 3220

For further information contact David Skurrie on 5272 5272.



PUBLIC NOTICES

FREE BODY IMAGE INFORMATION SESSIONS

WEDNESDAY 14 SEPTEMBER 2011 - 11.15AM TO 12.30PM CITY HALL, 30 GHERINGHAP STREET, GEELONG

Eating Disorder Victoria, the City of Greater Geelong and Barwon Health presents a FREE community awareness information session titled What happens when you don't love your body? How families

Presented by Dr Naomi Crafti BBSc(Hons) DPsych (Counselling) MAPS, this presentation will cover:

- What is body image and what are the risks of negative body image? • Contributors to negative body image.
- The dangers of obsessive perfectionism.
- Bullying and weightism.
- · What to say and how to help.
- Tips to reduce the risks of developing eating disorders.
- · How Eating Disorder Victoria can help.

Bookings are essential. To book go to www.eatingdisorder.org.au/events or call 9885 6563.

This event is supported by the Lord Mayor's Charitable Foundation.

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Objectors seeking new church plans

BY JOHN VAN KLAVEREN

OBJECTORS have lodged arguments against proposed redevelopment of a historic Geelong church, according to a council spokesperson.

The spokesperson said the six objections cited concerns about how the plans for an 80seat cafe would affect the historical significance and building integrity of the 1865 Mt Zion Particular Baptist Church.

Last week's Independent revealed the redevelopment bid last week, including its plans to use the Lt Ryrie St church's baptismal font as a "water fea- removal of the original win- Bantow confirmed her organi-

Geelong councillor Barbara Abley said Heritage Victoria issued a permit for the works despite the concerns of City Hall officers

'Council comment is sought by Heritage Victoria prior to a decision being made on any heritage permit application they

consider," Cr Abley said.
"Officers provided heritage advice and raised a number of concerns with the development, in particular, the projecting canopy that is to return around the front of the building and the

dows and replacement with large aluminium framed doors. Officers recommended that both of these aspects be reconsidered.

"Unfortunately, Heritage Victoria issued a permit endorsing the proposal, therefore seeming not to have agreed to any of the changes suggested."

Cr Abley said the planning application for the site included an on-premises liquor licence.

Council officers were considering the licence application,

The National Trust's Jennifer spokesperson said.

sation had lodged objections.

Mrs Bantow said Heritage Victoria should have advertised the proposal instead of granting a permit without asking for a "more-sympathetic" approach.

Heritage Victoria spokesperson said one of its officer "clarified" council's concerns before determining that the plans did not impact the church's heritage values.

The church's return canopy design was renegotiated and altered in the final plans, the



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The research is being conducted by: Associate Professor John Amerena, At Geelong Cardiology Research Unit, Barwon Health - The Geelong Hospital.

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Speed demons driving Norm

Shattered Lives Our hidden road toll

BY JOHN VAN KLAVEREN

BANNOCKBURN'S Norm Robinson is in no doubt about the effectiveness of speed cameras.

The only people who worry about speed cameras are those who get caught," the road safety campaigner declared.

Norm was thrust into the road safety spotlight after losing his son Luke in a high-speed collision at Lovely Banks last year.

Luke's family, friends and emergency services workers who attended the accident participated in a TAC advertising campaign called The Ripple Effect.

"What we want to do is change attitudes toward speeding," Norm

"It doesn't matter if it's one kilometre or 10, you're still over the speed limit.

"A lot of people don't think its breaking the law. If there's been an assault the community wants punishment but when it comes to speeding many don't accept the

"Speed cameras are there to change the driver's mindset.'

Norm regularly visits schools and football clubs to share his pain, all the greater last weekend during his second Father's Day without Luke.

"It's an emotional roller coaster every day but the milestone days have ten-fold the emotional impact," Norm said.

'It was Luke's first accident and, ironically, he was known as the nanny driver – he was always the designated driver.

"I get to speak to a lot of people



Shattered: Leanne, Jai and Norm Robinson.



Lost: Luke Robinson.

through what I do now. You try anyway you can to get the message through.

"Education and awareness-raising is what we're about; giving young people the tools to make right decisions

"If Luke had been through something like that he may not have made that stupid decision to we face every day."

"I think we're getting the message through to some of them, we're making some sort of a dif-

"We try to think of what might have worked on Luke."

Norm said a speeding fine could act as a warning, particularly to a young driver.

"One idea we had was to have every P-plater who received a speeding ticket write a letter to mum and dad explaining why.

"I know some will say we run into privacy issues but this is just between parents and child.

"Instead of hiding the fact we've got to break the attitude of trying to keep it quiet.

Young drivers need to be able to speak to their parents about this and understand the consequences



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From January 2013 the Australian Maritime Safety Authority (AMSA) will become the National Regulator for commercial vessel safety in Australian waters.

A new National System, currently under development, will streamline maritime safety laws and make it easier for seafarers and their vessels to work around Australia without barriers.

The Australian Government, in partnership with State and Territory Governments, invites you to attend consultation open days across the country to:

- obtain further information on the proposed new National System
- share your ideas and comments.

Please drop in to the consultation open day between the hours of 2pm-5pm on Friday 23 September at Four Points by Sheraton: Geelong, 10-14 Eastern Beach Road Geelong

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Club sets sail for fun on bay

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LANDLUBBERS have always been welcome at Corio Bay Sailing Club.

The family-oriented group of keen sailors is happy to share hard-won lore with anyone drawn to the sea.

But it hadn't always been plain sailing for the club, confessed resident old salt Arthur Poundsett.

"Our membership tends to bob up and down a bit, so we're keen to get a few more interested sailors to join us," he said.

Arthur has been launching boats at the club's Limeburner's Lagoon ramp, just behind Geelong Grammar School, since 1972 when the club was founded.

Arthur assured that anyone could learn the ropes in an after-

"Learning to race can take a bit longer but other than that it's a very relaxing sort of sport," he said.

"It's a non-contact sport unless you forget to duck for the boom," Arthur laughed.

"But you soon learn about that - it only takes once.

Arthur said most kids enjoyed picking up the sailing basics.

"Out on the bay you can get blown over by a gust, so you learn to keep a weather eye out, become



On sail: A Corio Bay Sailing Club member breezes past a somewhat larger vessel.

more alert and read the conditions. "You become more self-suffi-

cient and it adds to your confi-

"It's the feeling of freedom; just man versus the elements, the sea and wind - that's the main attraction."

Arthur no longer sails himself he's 89 after all - but the master mariner hasn't let age take the wind out of his sails. He still acts as the club's vice-commodore, timekeeper and handicapper.

He even showed the cut of his jib by writing a computer program allowing him to enter race results and produce handicaps for the

The club usually runs Heron class and OK Dinghy races suitable for both adults and juniors. The club boasts one member,

Peter Yates, who was selected in an Australian team at the world sailing championships. The club starts its regular

Sunday races next month, with the season usually running until April next year.

The clubhouse boasts facilities like a barbecue area, boat storage and showers.

Arthur said more information was available by phoning him on 5278 2160 or club secretary Anna Goksoyr on 0405 081 781.





PARKING IN CENTRA

The City of Greater Geelong has introduced more longer-term parking spaces in Central Geelong from this Sunday.

The changes will mean more all day, four-hour and three-hour on street parking spaces will be available in areas adjacent to the inner core of Central Geelong.

The southern side of Richie Boulevard is capped at \$4 all day whilst other areas in the upper north east corner of Central Geelong including Eastern Beach Road and Brougham Street are capped at \$5 all day.

All day on street car parks are available at no charge in precincts at each 'corner' of Central Geelong;

- North West including parts of Malone Street, Smythe Street, Brougham Street and Western Beach Road (west of **Gheringhap Street)**
- North East including parts of Corio Street, Malop Street and Little Malop Street (east of Bellarine Street)

- South West including parts of Little Myers Street, Myers Street and Little Ryrie Street (west of Fenwick Street)
- South East including parts of Little Myers Street and Bellarine Street

Additional all day paid car parking spaces are available at Eastern Beach Road and Richie Boulevard, Brougham Street and Bellerine Street (north of Malop Street)

Four-hour and three-hour paid on street car parks are concentrated to the north and south of the inner core of Central Geelong including Eastern Beach Road, Brougham Street and Richie Boulevard in the north and Little Ryrie Street, Market Street, Myers Street and Yarra Street in the south.

Details of the new parking arrangements are available on the City's website at www.geelongaustralia.com.au

buckets



bouquets



BUCKETS to brazen thieves who stole our solar lights from our front garden. We only just moved to Leopold in July and were trying to take pride in our garden. What an unwelcome surprise!

Disheartened, Leopold



BOUQUETS to Joshua at Newtown's post office. He is respectful and smiling when servicing elderly people. Joshua is a

good example to other young people in Geelong. Bouquets also to his parents for educating him so well. God bless you all. Erna, Newtown



BUCKETS to lead-foot bus drivers who accelerate too fast and brake too hard. Please slow down a little to a moderate speed so passengers have a smoother, more-comfortable ride. It does not matter whether you are five minutes late at the bus stop because I've got all day. Neil, Geelong West



BOUQUETS to Geelong Library centre staff who couldn't do enough to help a gentleman new to the city with finding a cure for his uncle's blindness. It was a

shame about having to pay \$2.50 to save the planet rather than having free plastic bags for books.

Stephen, Norlane



BUCKETS to bogan jet-ski riders. You apparently passed the licence test, so you should know how far away you have to stay from other vessels. Have some consideration and stay they hell away from people trying to enjoy some peace and quiet. And to think it's Angler, East Geelong not even summer vet.



BOUQUETS to a kind gentleman who helped my husband at the Barwon Heads APCO service station after he inadvertently filled his car with diesel instead of

petrol. The man's quick thinking and help to move the car was appreciated, so I hope he reads this So Grateful, Barwon Heads belated thank you.

BUCKETS to Business Owner (Buckets and Bouquets, September 2). If you have a problem with parking inspectors booking cars breaking rules outside the hospital, blame council, not the poor inspectors. Most of

fault if they park longer than their limit. Grey Ghost, Highton

the fines are for hospital visitors anyway, so it's their



BOUQUETS to Vicroads' Trish and Debbie for being such a pleasure to deal with when trying to sort out a vehicle registration problem. Thanks so much for

your kind assistance. Keep up the good work. Max Action Vehicles, Corio



BOUQUETS to Happy Mum (Buckets and Bouquets, September 2). Yes, City of Greater Geelong family day care is great.

When my child didn't settle in at a large centre I looked into the City's care. My child is now happy and thriving with the personalised care.

Another Happy Mum, Corio



BUCKETS to the staff in two shopping stores and to a concierge who couldn't help a tidy, cleanly shaven, scholarly gentleman who politely requested \$2 for a ticket machine after over-spending his ticket money. Buckets also to the people who looked on at the Shame Geelong, Norlane machine.



BOUQUETS to the RACV, especially tow truck driver Darren. At 63 years of age, I would have been stuck without them. I was quoted a wait of 60 minutes

but Darren arrived after five minutes. He was a gentleman, courteous and helpful. Stranded, Belmont

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Dithering on drugs

ALAN Kent's letter in the August 26 Independent decrying the tough-on-drugs stance within the community was misguided.

The view that decriminalising drugs will remove the problem is wrong. Making something that's bad for one's health legal doesn't change the fact it is bad for your health.

Marijuana is not harmless. The number of young people with psychosis or mental health problems is evidence enough.

The damage I see from this supposedly harmless drug is staggering.

Mr Kent had a partial solution in treating users as persons with a medical problem but at the same time law enforcement officers need to be able to charge and prosecute strongly and with vigour the people importing, dealing and selling drugs. They need to be hit with the full force of the law and the judiciary needs to sentence them to the maximum allowed.

Should there be a link to the death of an addict the law must allow their families to seek a civil claim against the dealer, supplier or importer.

I regard dealers as anyone caught with commercial quantities. Should a street seller with a provable fixed abode be apprehended police should have the automatic right to conduct a search of the premises and prosecute them if large quantities of illegal sub-

Police should be able to compulsorily direct them to medical intervention if smaller amounts are found.

My opinions may be considered draconian but while we dither with lives being destroyed the ripple effect on families is devastating.

Patrick Caruana **Belmont**

Turbines terminated

AFTER 18 months of consultation, the Victorian Coalition Government has enacted its wind turbine planning policy, giving homeowners certainty about how close by wind turbines can be built (Independent, September 2).

This comprehensive policy prohibits turbines being constructed within 2km of an existing dwelling unless the owner gives written consent.

It also gives the first right of planning approval back to local government, in contrast to the previous Labor government's policy of overriding councils and communities on almost all wind turbine applications.

While the Coalition Government remains a strong supporter of renewable energy development and the vast majority of the state is still available for wind farm proposals, I have acted to give planning control back to councils and communities.

G21, City stuck in limbo on projects

ONE WONDERS about G21's relevance and effectiveness when CEO Elaine Carbines backs City of Greater Geelong ahead of Committee for Geelong's call for an independent consultative authority to spearhead a raft of projects in limbo because of a lack of sheeted clout (Independent, September 2).

Ms Carbines' stance, based on Geelong's ring road, the Princes Hwy duplication, Avalon Airport, Armstrong Creek and the regional rail link, supports continued medi-ocrity and a selective view of what is required.

The ring road has benefits for commuters bypassing Geelong but took four decades to happen and remains inept from a coastal growth perspective.

farm planning decisions.

Matthew Guy MLC Minister for Planning

multigenerational farms.

The highway duplication to

Good neighbours

tacting us for advice and information.

Victorians were previously shut out and overrid-

The Coalition Government has delivered plan-

den by a planning system that neither asked nor cared about their views can now have their say.

ning reform that guarantees the residents of rural

and regional Victoria certainty and fairness in wind

THE TRUTH about wind farming in this state is that

it makes some adjoining neighbours seriously unwell, forcing them out of their homes and off their

Others are literally trapped in homes, becoming

Turbine hosts and their families have also been

adversely affected but their contracts restrict them

from talking publicly. Some are now privately con-

Clinical whistleblowers globally have been ignored on this issue. Medical practitioners and

acousticians from the UK, Europe, Canada, the USA

and Australia are trying to alert authorities to this

growing public health problem, which is completely

increasingly unwell and unable to sell or move.



Chief: Elaine Carbines.

Winchelsea represents a small step to nowhere.

Until such time as Avalon gains international accreditation it remains at best a work in progress. G21 and its City bedfellow have Buckley's of consummating the airport's potential given Melbourne Airport

Corporation won't provide a fair go to a secondary player with a rail link option up its

Armstrong Creek will be constructed largely on a floodplain and bereft of public transport infrastructure.

As for the rail link, despite \$800 million or more in investment it offers at best a sixminute benefit on a good day.

Committee For Geelong chair Michael Betts should be commended for stating the obvious in calling for an independent planning mechanism that, on a smaller scale, enabled Geelong's waterfront upgrade to become reality rather than part of a wishlist, as is currently the case with major projects.

Richard Worland Manifold Heights

preventable with safer siting based on proper independent acoustic and medical research.

This research has not yet been done. The Waubra Foundation was established in 2010 to advocate for such research.

Finally a Planning Minister has listened to the growing concerns of rural residents. On the basis of our Australian field observations, in which neighbours report sleep and body vibrations in conjunction with turbine operation up to 10km from the nearest turbine, the new setback is not far enough to protect adjoining residents but it's a good start.

When the research is done it will help everybody, including the wind industry, to proceed with safe siting of wind turbines in the knowledge they will indeed be good neighbours, not to mention good

Dr Sarah Laurie **Waubra Foundation**

Blow away 4C

WE APPLAUD Matthew Guy's announcement of new planning rules to prevent the construction of wind farms less than 2km from existing private properties.

The currently proposed section 4C of Geelong's ring road would be as little as 100 metres from existing private properties in Grovedale and Waurn Ponds.

We await the minister's decision on 4C, which we trust will be every bit as considerate on the minimum road distance from existing private properties as was his decision on wind farms.

We are also calling for obligatory early consultation with the number-one key stakeholder - communities before any infrastructure project is even considered. Margarita Kumnick

South Grovedale Community Action Group

A climate sacrifice

IN REPLY to Lesley Johnson (Letters, September 2), it's not the "Government spiel" on climate change that I accept but rather the science.

It seems odd so many people give so much weight to vested interests but are quick to denounce the science. However, I bet they are happy to pop a cold and flu capsule or rely on a doctor's advice.

Lesley Johnson's assertion about modelling painted a false picture.

The models are indicators of future trends and show a direction. To dismiss them out of hand is akin to abolishing the Bureau of Meteorology because tomorrow's forecast of 24C ended up being 23C instead.

Thousands of scientists have observed, recorded and studied the effects of climate change. Evidence includes rising air and sea temperatures, melting ice caps and glaciers, acidification of the oceans, melting permafrost and changes in weather patterns.

As for the political, we had a choice between Labor's ETS, which morphed into an interim carbon tax, or the Liberal's pay-the-polluter model. I prefer the former because it is the most cost-effective way to meet our international commitments and transform our economy.

The green wave of investment is a massive opportunity for Australia, so we move with the world and benefit rather than bury our head in the sand and rely

I agree the \$76 trillion cost over 40 years sounds scary. However, it represents about three per cent of world GDP.

That's not a great sacrifice to change our unsustainable ways.

Mark Ruseler

Lara

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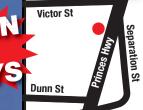
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AUGUST was Geelong's driest month for the year

The Breakwater racecourse weather station recorded just 19.6mm compared to Geelong's 49mm average, meaning August was within the lowest 10 per cent recorded rain for the month since records

The driest August was in 1982 when only 10mm was recorded at North Geelong.

Most of the region was well down, with the Otways only receiving about 50 to 60 per cent of the average. The Bellarine Peninsula was similarly affected and the Bannockburn and Lara areas were

Winter rain was around 80 per cent of the longterm normal, predicted accurately by Bureau of Meteorology in its three-monthly outlook - itself an unusual occurrence.

Winter rain at Geelong totalled 110mm across the urban area compared to the 30-year normal 140mm.

Thanks to the bureau's figures we can also see that the new Breakwater station's urban location tends to record temperatures at this time of year around .6C warmer than its predecessor at Geelong Airport. The Breakwater figures for August of 6.4C for minimums and 16.6C for maximums seem to show a warmer month by around half a degree, so full comparisons will be impossible until a new normal can be calculated.

Given the lack of interest in Geelong's ongoing weather record at official levels, this is highly

community calendar

WOMEN - AGLOW ministry of meets 10am at The Ballroom, Hamlyn Park, Carey St, Hamlyn Heights. Cost \$10. Enquiries 5284 1447.

LIFELINE - Lifeline Barwon region annual meeting 10.30am at 1 McKillop St, Geelong. Guest speaker Robin Knox. Enquiries 5222 2255.

MEDITITATION – Spiritual readings, self-inquiry and study group 7.30pm at 5 Daisy St,

MEN – Men's conversation group 10am-midday at The Salvation Army Northside, 92 Cox Rd, Corio. Enquiries 5275 7771.

Saturday

CHRISTIANS - Christian singles solo dinner at La Campagnola Italian Restaurant, Geelong West.

Book by September 8. Enquiries 5243 3156.

DANCE – Ballroom dancing 8-11.30pm at The Ballroom, Bayview Pde, Hamlyn Heights. Cost \$7.

Also Monday. Enquiries 5229 3785.

FAMILY – Free family fun day 10-2pm at St

Stephen's Anglican Church, cnr Regent and

Thomson Sts, Belmont. Enquiries 0419 871 282.

ANTIQUE APPRAISALS – \$5 for two items, 10am-4pm, Mill Markets, Mackey Street Nth Geelong, aid Cathy Freeman Foundation. Enq 5255

DANCING - Ballroom dancing 8pm-midnight at

Freshwater Creek Hall. Cost \$8. Enq 5264 5169. MARKET – Lots of stalls, lots of bargains at market 10-2pm at 55 Yooringa Ave, Norlane.

Sunday

RETIRE - Retirement village open day at Lions

Village Torquay.

LEPROSY – Leprosy mission Geelong auxiliary rally 2.30 at Western Uniting Church, Douglass St, Herne Hill. Enquiries 52787110

Tuesday

PHILOSOPHY - Practical philosophy session 10-11.30am at Geelong Library. Also 7-9.30pm elsewhere in Geelong.

Wednesday

FILM – Geelong Film Society screens *Pierrot Le Fou* with subtitles 7.30pm Morrow Theatrette, 51 Malop St, Geelong. Enquiries 5229 7887.

INSTRUMENTAL – Geelong Memorial Brass Band conducts lessons in brass or percussion instruments. Enquiries 5275 6685.

BALLROOM – Social ballroom dancing 7.30-10.30pm at Leopold Hall. Cost \$5. Enq 5243 5306.

Thursday

DANCE -Life Activities Club dance 2.30–4.30pm at Belmont Pavilion, Barrabool Rd. Cost \$4. Énquiries 52 513529.

MEDITATION - Meditation and philosophy for beginners 10am at Torquay RACV Golf Club. Enq 5264 7484

PHILOSOPHY - Philosophy cafe 2-4.30pm at Pear Tree Café, Torquay. Enquiries 5264 7484 DANCE – West Coast Seekers dance 8-11pm at

Geelong RSL, Belmont. Enquiries 5248 4903. LADIES – Ladies' chat group 10am-midday at The Salvation Army Northside, 92 Cox Rd, Corio. Enquiries 5275 7771.

DANCE – Ballroom dancing 7.30pm at Leopold Sportsman's Club, Kensington Rd, Leopold. Cost

\$3. Enquiries 5250 1937.

Friday

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Geelong gig one for the Birds



BY ERIN PEARSON

MUSIC fame is all about rock and riches for Australian band Birds of

The four-piece recently returned from France, where members dined on red wine and garlic snails, to launch a 22-date Closer tour across Australia.

Drummer Adam Weston told the Independent Birds of Tokyo had ventured away from its Sydney recording studio to the picturesque surrounds of France to work on the next album, due for release some time in 2012.

"We spent hours discussing and arguing where we'd go next musical-

ly," Weston revealed.
"We had a creative itch that needed to be scratched but we're very pleased to be back in Australia and getting ready to hit the road."

Weston said the band was looking forward to getting back to its roots.

"None of us predicted that this band would be a regular touring act," he

But we now have a solid fan base that's dying to see us tour again.

'This time around though, there are certainly a handful of places we've never had the chance to hit before.

"With the madness of putting out three records in four years and constantly being on the road, it's a great opportunity to get back to these towns that we haven't really touched on."

Weston said the band's biggest challenge now was "breaking the mould" of radio pop, a style that lifted Birds of

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Tokyo's hit single Plans to the top of the charts.

Each member was determined to fight off their number-one-hit demons to stay true to their alternative rock style, he said.

"By no means are we going to let songs like *Plans* and *Wild at Heart* stylistically brand the band or its content direction. "I think it's going to be a challenge

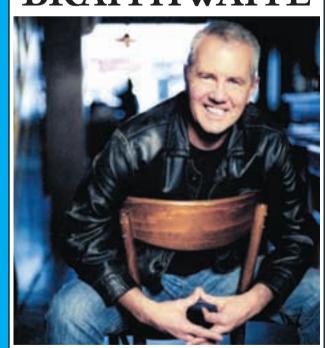
for us to know what we want to steer away from and achieve a result of music that has depth.

"We've been playing around with a lot of textual soundscapes and this time we really want to get further down the rabbit hole."

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Classics run on Diesel in new tour

BY ERIN PEARSON

MULTI-award-winning rocker Diesel is bringing back secret classics from Jimmy Hendrix and Neil Young on his latest whirlwind solo tour.

Diesel, alter ego of Mark

800,000 records since hitting the Australia's music charts around 25 years ago.

After first finding fame with Perth's Johnny Diesel and the Injectors, Lizotte's career has taken him to all four corners of the

Lizotte, has sold in excess of globe as part of his band and as a solo artist.

> He went on to record with brother-in-law Jimmy Barnes and fellow artists Richard Clapton and Vika and Linda Bull before taking out the ARIA's best male artist three years running.

Lizotte told the Independent his latest project was an album dedicated to his musical influences and his own classics.

He promised the album, Under the Influence, would be a showstopper.

"With each record it's a different feeling," Lizotte said.

"A record creates an environment, an ambience, when you're playing songs from it. It's like you've got new furniture in the house, things you kind of notice.

"With this album, as I get to each town I'll be unleashing new stuff.'

Lizotte admitted tackling the likes of Hendrix and Young added "much pressure" but assured fans the songs he chose to record were his own takes on each classic.

"This record's a very natural progression for me because it's music that shaped my own career," he said.

"These are songs I attempted in my bedroom as a teen before I even started playing in bands, so it's like going back there with a bit more knowledge and ability.

"It's a nice feeling."

Lizotte said his biggest challenge was selecting the perfect hits to play on tour.

"I have songs people always want me to play but it's great to have new stuff people haven't heard before. The challenge now is trying to squeeze 13 records into one show - it's hard.

"I can't complain, it's a nice problem to have.

"I didn't pick songs though that people know, the artists-generic

Influenced: Diesel's Gateway gig will feature the classics of musicians such as Jimmi Hendrix and Neil Young.

songs like Purple Haze or Foxy these songs - they're all just gold Lady, I picked ones that are my to me.' favourites.

"I think people need to know Hotel on September 24.

Diesel plays Corio's Gateway



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The Cold Chisel tribute show will be at White Eagle House on October 22.

Tickets for dinner and the show cost \$55 each or \$40 for the show

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Friday 9

5:00 Can We Help? [s] 5:30 The New Inventors [s] 6:00 ABC News Breakfast [s] 9:00 ABC News [s] 9:30 Business Today [s] 10:00 Noah and Saskia [s] 10:25 What I Wrote / Arrows Of Desire 11:00 Catalyst

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7:00 ABC News [s]
7:30 7.30 [s] – A state based edition of 7.30 presented locally.

8:00 Collectors [s]

Substitute (My) – After a major incident at the Dutch Embassy, Harry and Nikki are removed from the case when the Dutch decide to appoint their

own pathologist. 9:30 The Jonathan Ross Show (PG) – Featuring comedy, celebrity chat and the latest

10:20 Lateline [s] 11:00 Beautiful People (MI,a,v) [s] 11:30 rage (MA15+a,l,h,d,n,s,v)

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5:30 Seven Early News 6:00 Sunrise [s] 9:00 The Morning Show (PG) 11:30 Seven Morning News [s] 12:00 The Midday Movie: "Hidalgo" (M v.a) (°04) Stars: Omar Sharif 3:00 Samantha Who? (PG) [s] 3:30 All For Kids [s] 4:00 Spit It Out [s] 4:30 Seven News at 4:30 [s] 5:30 Deal Or No Deal [s] 6:00 Seven News [s] 6:30 Today Tonight [s] 7:00 Home and Away (PG) 7:30 Better Homes And Gardens [s] – Great recipes like satay chicken skewers and Fast Ed's healthy spin on Chinese prawn toast. Sunken pavers, problem sleeper walls and dead patches - Jason has answers.

8:30 2011 AFL Premiership Finals: Teams To Be Advised – September so that means it's AFL finals time as the top eight teams battle it out for footy's most coveted prize - the premiership cup.

cup. 11:45 That '70s Show: Fun It (PG) 12:15 Late Movie: "Kinsey" (MA15+a,s) ('04) Stars: Liam Neeson. 3:00 Home Shopping 4:00 NBC Today

4:00 NBC Today 'Live' [s] 9:00 Kerri-Anne (PG) 11:00 6:00 Children's Programs 7:00 Weekend Today 9:00 National Morning News [s] 11:30 Alive & Cooking Saturday Kerri Anne 11:00 Children's Programs 2:30 Saturday Kerri Anne 11:00 Children's Programs 2:30 10:00 Wide World Of Sports 11:00 The Sunday Footy 12:00 Ellen De Generes Show (PG) 1:00 The View (PG) 2:00 Days of Our Lives (PG) 3:00 Weekend Today 10:00 Wide World Of Sports 11:00 The Sunday Footy 10:00 Wide World Of Sports 11:00 The Sunday Footy 10:00 Wide World Of Sports 11:00 The Sunday Footy 10:00 Wide World Of Sports 11:00 The Sunday Footy 10:00 Wide World Of Sports 11:00 The Sunday Footy 10:00 Weekend Today 10:00 Wide World Of Sports 11:00 The Sunday Footy 10:00 Wide World Of Sport

5:30 Hot Seat
6:00 Nine News [s]
6:30 A Current Affai
7:00 The Big Bang Theory (PG)
7:30 Two And A Half Men (PG s)
8:30 The Mentalist: Red Herring (M)
9:30 CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (M)
10:30 CSI: Miami: Hostile Takeover (M v) — When
the lab is stacked Herring must fulfill a nun-

the lab is attacked. Horatio must fulfill a gunman's unique request in order to save five

man's unique request in order to save five hostages.

11:25 Rugby League Finals: First Qualifying Final: New Zealand v Tonga
1:40 Rugby League Finals: Opening Match: New Zealand v Tonga
3:35 Entertainment Tonight (s)
4:00 Guthy Renker Australia
4:30 Good Morning America

6:00 TEN News [s] 7:00 Toasted TV [s] 8:00 Totally Wild [s] 8:30 Wurrawhy [s] 9:00 9AM News [s] 10:00 The Circle (PG) [s] 12:00 Dr Phil (PG) 1:00 Their Lives & The Miraculous Twist Of Fate (PG) b) 1:00 The Open Winfrey Show: The Worst Day Of Their Lives & The Miraculous Twist Of Fate (PG) b) 1:00

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6:00 Lefters and Numbers (PG)
6:30 World News Australia [s]
7:30 Grand Central [s] - On the morning of
January 8, 1902, a southbound commuter train
travelling through a smoky, congested tunnel in
New York City's Grand Central Depot slammed
into the rear of another train, instantly killing
seventeen people, and injuring thirty-eight.
8:30 Blitz Street (PG) [s] - Blitz Street endures
the most powerful bomb of WWII.
9:30 World News Australia [s]
10:00 The Female Orgasm Explained
(MA15+s.a.n)

11:00 Comedy Movie: "Lucia, Lucia" (MA15+ a,s)

(03) (in Spanish)
12:50 Entourage: Aquamom / One Day in the Valley / Dominated (M a,l,s)
2:20 Weatherwatch & Music

Saturday 10

face monsters and mysteries and adventures all

across time and space.

8:15 Doctor Who: Confidential Cutdown

8:30 Monroe (Ma) – Struggling to accept that his wife has left him, Monroe throws himself into work at the hospital, with a double shooting to deal with

deal with.

9:25 Rake (M I,n,s,v) – Cleaver defends Mick
Corella on a murder charge; and David finds out
about Missy's past.

10:20 Doctor Who: Journey's End (PG) [s]

11:25 rage: Guest Programmers: Cold Chisel
(MA15+)

(MA15+)
6:00 Children's Programs 7:00 Weekend Sunnise [s]
9:00 Saturday Disney [s] 11:00 Children's Programs
[s] 12:00 V8 Xra [s] 12:30 That '70s Show (PG) [s]
1:00 Saturday Afternoon Movie: "Barbie:
Princess Charm School" (G) (11)
2:30 Saturday Afternoon Movie: "Ella
Enchanted" (PG v) ('04) Stars: Anne Hathaway
4:30 What's Up Down Under [s]
5:00 Guide To The Good Life [s]
5:30 Mercurio's Menu; [s]

6:30 Mercurio's Menu [s] 6:00 Seven News [s] 6:30 Family Movie: "Monsters, Inc." (G) ('06) Stars: John Goodman

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8:15 The Saturday Movie: "Papillon" (PG) ('73) Follow the journey of a man's determination to seek freedom. Stars: Steve McQueen

11:15 The Saturday Late Movie: "Midnight Run" (M v.)) ('88) [s] Stars: Robert De Niro & Charles Grodin

Grodin
2:00 Movie: "Call Me: The Rise And Fall Of Heidi
Fleiss" (MA15+s.d) ('04) Stars: Corbin Bernsen
4:00 Home Shopping [s]
5:00 Dr Oz (PG a)

Simpson
9:30 Movie: "The Notebook" (PG s.l.a) ('04) —
Teenagers Allie and Noah find themselves in
whiriwand intimate courtship that is ended by
Allie's upper-class parents. Stars: James

Garner
12:00 Rugby League Finals Late: Second
Qualifying Final
2:00 Rugby League Finals Late: Third
Qualifying Final
4:05 Rugby World Cup 2011 Late: Argentina v

match interviews.
5:00 TEN News At Five [s]
5:30 Jamie's Thirty Minute Meals: Smoked
Salmon – If you have hungry mouths to feed
after a long day, then allow Jamie to introduce
you to a revolutionary way of cooking.
6:00 TEN Evening News
6:30 Before The Game (PG) [s]
7:30 AFL Premiership Season 2011: Week 1:
Qualifying / Elimination Final - Teams
11:00 World Rally Championship - Rally Of
Australia (PG)

Australia (PG)
12:00 Program To Be Advised
2:00 Infomercials (PG)

5:05 Worldwatch 1:00 The Food Lovers Guide to 5:05 Worldwatch 1:00 Masterpiece: Elena Kats-Australia [s] 1:30 Insight [s] 2:30 The Nest [s] 3:00 Chernins Wild Swans Suite 1:30 Masterpiece: Living Black [s] 3:30 Worldwatch 4:00 The Journal 4:30 PBS Newshour 5:30 Cycling: La Vuelta a Espaa 2011 Daily Highlights [s] 6:00 Letters and Numbers (PG) 6:30 World News Australia [s] 7:30 Grand Coartral [c] - Other more in a few proprint of the Passionate Apprentices: The Response of the Passionate Apprentices: The P

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7:30 Richard Hammonds Engineering
Connections: Sydney Opera House [s] —
Richard Hammond returns down-under, visiting
the famous Sydney Opera House.
8:30 Sex Under The Sea (PG s) [s] — Under the

sea, the reproduction chain is extremely varied

and complicated.

9:30 Rockwiz: Josh Pyke & Neko Case (M I,s)

10:25 Friday On My Mind (PG) [s] – The music of The Easybeats.

11:30 La Vuelta a Espaa 2011: Stage 20 - Bilbao to Vitoria - 185 km mountain stage. Hosted by Mike Tomalaris. 2:00 Weatherwatch Overnight

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2:00 VFL Football 2011 *Live*	5:00 Bowls: Australian Indoor	Championships	6:00 Poh's Kitchen On The Road	s.]

Sunday 11

McCloud goes back to Belfast to check out one of the biggest Grand Designs of them all!

8:30 Rebirth – How does the journey of grieving and recovery unfold for individuals and a nation?

10:15 Compass: 9/11 Ten Years On [s] Compass examines the deep and enduring social, religious and cultural implications of

10:40 ABC News Special: 9/11 Remembered

(PG) – Live coverage from New York and Washington of events marking the tenth anniversary of 9/11. 1:05 Soldiers Of Peace (PG)

2:00 Grand Designs: Belfast [s] 4:00 rage

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| 6:00 Children's Programs 7:00 Weekend Sunrise [s] s 10:00 AFL Game Day (PG) 11:00 Michael Palin's New Europe (PG) [s] 12:00 Sunday Movie: "Johnny Kapahala: Back On Board" (G) (07) Stars: Brandon Baker. 2:00 2011 AFL Premiership Finals 5:00 Destination New Zealand: Christchurch 5:30 Coxy's Big Break [s] 6:00 Seven News [s] 6:30 Sunday Night [s] 7:30 Wild Boys (PG V.s) – Jack awakes to find a shocking discovery at the Ryan farm.

8:30 Bones: The Hole In The Heart / The Plain In The Prodigy (M v.a.d) – When sniper-on-the-loose Broadsky claims another, Booth becomes even more determined to catch his elusive foe. 10:30 The Suspects - True Australian Thrillers (M) – Tonight, an affluent mother is found brutal-

10:30 The Suspects - True Australian Infiliers (M) - Tonight, an affluent mother is found brutally murdered under mysterious circumstances.
11:30 The First 48 (M) 11:30 Great Characters Of Queensland 1:30 Room For Improvement [s] 2:00 Home Shopping 3:00 NBC Today 4:00 NBC Meet The Press

Auckland.
3:30 The Fresh Prince Of Bel Air (PG)
4:00 The Farmer Wants A Wife (PG)
5:00 News: First At Five [s]
5:30 Postcards
6:00 National Evening News [s]
6:30 RBT (PG)

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7:30 60 Minutes [s]
8:30 Underbelly - Razor: The Darlinghurst
Outrage (M.Y.n.l.d)
9:30 Camelot (MA15+v)
11:30 Flashpoint: Asking For Flowers (M)
12:25 Rugby League Finals: Fourth Qualifying
3:00 Brand Developers
3:30 Danoz
4:00 Good Morning America
5:00 Early Morning News

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6:30 The Renovators [s]
7:30 Talkin' 'bout Your Generation (PG)
8:30 Movie: 'Twilight' (M v,sn) ('08) — Bella and
Edward have some serious relationship issues
to work through if they want to make it as a
modern day Romeo and Juliet - starting with his
almost irresistible urge to drain her body of
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Finally Friday

Monday 12

5.30 Seven Early News [s] 6:00 Sunrise [s] 9:00 The Morning Show (PG) 11:30 Seven Morning News [s] 12:00 The Midday Movie: "Concrete Canyons" (My) (10) Stars: Scott Patterson 2:00 Dr Oz: Dr Oz's Age Erasers (PG a) [s] 3:00 Samantha Who? (PG) 3:30 All For Kids [s] 4:00 Spit It Out [s] 4:30 Seven News at 4:30 [s] 5:30 Deal Or No Deal [s] 6:00 Seven News [s]

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1:00 The Oprah Winfrey Show (PG)
2:00 Ready Steady Cook
3:00 Infomercial (PG)
3:30 The Renovators [s]
4:30 The Bold And The Beautiful [s]
5:00 TEN News At Five [s]
6:30 6:30 With George Negus
7:00 The PTM Project (PG)
7:30 The Renovators [s]
8:30 Undercover Boss Australia: Great Southern Rail (PG)
9:30 Good News World (M) — Join GNW favourites, Paul, Mikey and Claire, plus a regular cast of the country's best comedians, as they tackle the biggest stories on the planet! Think SNL meets The Daily Show with an Aussie twist.

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10:30 TEN Late News With Sports Tonight
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8:30 Swift & Shift Couriers: Medical (M a,I)—Swift & Swift & Sw

Conchord (M s) [s] 10:30 Skins: Twins (MA15+I,s) 11:30 The World Game

12:30 Living Black [s] 1:00 War Movie: "Fragments of Antonin" (MA15+v,a) ('06) (In French) 2:35 Weatherwatch Overnight

Tuesday 13

5:00 Art Nation [s] 5:30 At The Movies (PG) 6:00
ABC News Breakfast [s] 9:00 ABC News [s] 9:30 Business Today [s] 10:00 Behind The [PG] 6:00 ABC News Breakfast [s] 9:00 ABC News [s] 9:30 Business Today [s] 10:00 Behind The [PG] 6:00 ABC News Breakfast [s] 9:00 ABC News Breakfast [s

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7:00 Home and Away (PG) |s|
7:30 The X Factor: Home Visit 1 (PG)
8:30 Packed To The Rafters: Big Kids (PG) |s|
Julie finds herself out of her comfort zone when
she attends a burlesque dance class with new
friend, Donna.
9:30 Dinner Date: Patrick Gavin |s| — Watch how
participants are given the chance to find true
love over a three course meal, cooked by a
blind date.
10:30 Special: 2011 Miss Universe |s|

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10:30 Special: 2011 Miss Universe [s]
11:10 Parks And Recreation (PG)
11:40 Perfect Couples (PG)
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9:30 NCIS: Los Angeles: Human Traffic (M) —
When NCIS's LAPD liaison goes missing and
his partner is killed, things aren't what they
seem and hetty might be his only hope for help.
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9:30 World News Australia Is 10:00 Hot Docs: Been Rich All My Life (M I) Is — Follows the Silver Belles, an unlikely troupe of tap dancing women aged 84 to 96.

11:35 Drama Movie: "Jermal" (M a.) ('08) — After his mother's death, 12-year-old Jaya is sent to his father, Johar, who works as a supervisor on a jermal (fishing platform). (In Indonesian)

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1:15 Red Card (Ma) – In October 2002, the wife of one of Iran's biggest football stars was murdered.

2:15 Weatherwatch Overnight

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4:00 rage (PG)

uncover the truth.

10:40 TEN Late News With Sports Tonight

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A Farewell Spectacular, Part 2 (PG)
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9:30 Law & Order: S.V.U: Locum (Ma) —
Benson and Stabler investigate when a missing
10-year-old girl's adoptive parents believe that
the man who kidnapped their other daughter a
decade ago has refurmed.
10:30 TEN Late News With Sports Tonight
11:00 The Late Show (PG)
12:00 Eureka: Omega Girls (PG)
1:00 Infomercials (PG)

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8:30 Supersizers Go... Edwardian (PG) [s] - Restaurant critic Giles Coren and comedian Sue Perkins attempt to eat for a week in the style of the era's moneyed classes.

6:30 World News Australia | 5|
7:30 Tropic of Capricorn: Egypt to Oman (PG)
8:30 The Hotel: Do Not Disturb (PG) | 5| — At the
Damson Dene Hotel, General Assistant, Amos,
is reaching the end of his probation period.
9:30 World News Australia | 5|
10:05 Drama Movie: "The Wave" (PG) ("08) — A
high school teacher's unusual experiment to
demonstrate to his students what life is like
under a dictatorship spins borribly out of control

style of the era's moneyed classes.

9:30 World News Australia [s]

10:05 The Protectors (M a.l.s) – The prime minister is convinced that the sexy video features his future bride, Josephine.

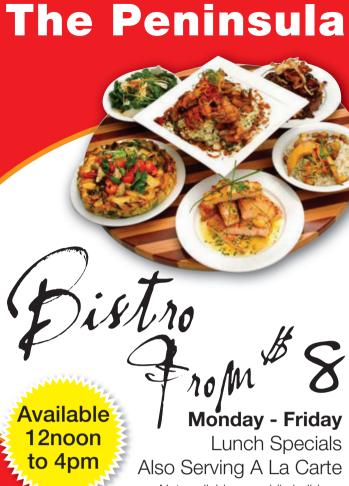
11:10 UEFA Champions League Hour

12:10 Martial Arts Movie: "Shadowless Sword" under a dictatorship spins horribly out of control when he forms a social unit with a life of its own wheth re forms a social unit with a file of its own; (in German)

11:55 112 Emergency (PG) – Follows the professional and personal lives of Germany's first combined emergency response unit.

12:55 112 Emergency (M.n.s) – A cuckolded husband threatens the team.





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▼orth Geelong's Sphinx Hotel will go back in time this Friday for a groovy take on the '80s.

Time Warp Friday's at The Cazbar will offer a fun-filled environment for the over-30s market.

Owner George Ramia says the night will be a classy evening complete with '80s arena rock and décor to match.

'We want to offer a place where the over 30s crowd can go and feel comfortable and also get to listen to a great band," George says.

"Women love to dress up, so we'd like the men to make an effort as well. "There has already been a lot of

interest in the event and we've had calls and emails from around 120 people already.

"We're hoping to make this a monthly event."

Classic rock cover band Glam Slam 5278 2911.

will provide the entertainment, featuring the songs of KISS, Bon Jovi, Van Halen, Poison and Warrant complete with lights, lasers, and pyrotechnics.

"People are sick are going out and seeing their kids out after hours or their kids' friends, so we're trying these nights out," George says.

"Most people we spoke to also want the night to be a bit dressier than the average night out at the pub.

George says entry to Time Warp Fridays will cost \$12.

The Sphinx also offers a Pharaohs Bistro, Sportsbar/TAB, a nightclub Fridays and Saturdays, a function room for up to 350 guests, hotel

accommodation and a drive-through bottle shop. Bookings are available by phoning



INGREDIENTS (Serves 4)

> 1 tablespoon olive oil

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> 1 small brown onion, finely chopped

> 1 garlic clove, crushed > 500g lean beef mince > 1 teaspoon ground cumin > 1 teaspoon smoked paprika ed

> 1/4 teaspoon chilli powder > 400g can diced tomatoes > 1 red capsicum, chopped > 2 tablespoons tomato paste

> 1/3 cup beef stock

> 300g can red kidney beans, drained, rinsed > 1/2 cup coriander leaves, chopped

> 8 flour tortillas (see note) > 3/4 cup grated cheddar cheese

> sour cream and salad leaves, to serve

Cheesecake Shop

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1. Preheat oven to 200°C. Heat oil in a large frying pan over

occasionally, for 5 minutes or until onion is tender. Add mince. Cook, stirring, for 3 minutes or until browned.

BEEF AND BEAN BURRITOS

1. Add cumin, paprika and chilli powder. Cook, stirring, for 1 minute or until aromatic. Add tomatoes, capsicum, tomato paste and stock. Bring to the boil. Reduce heat to mediumlow. Simmer, uncovered, for 10 minutes or until sauce is thickened. Stir in beans and coriander.

1. Warm tortillas following directions on packet. Divide beef mixture between tortillas. Spread along centre of tortillas. Roll up to enclose filling. Place in a large, greased baking dish. Sprinkle with cheese.

Bake for 10 minutes or until cheese melts and burritos start to brown. Serve with sour cream and salad leaves.

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KRISTY ARCHER has been in the hair and beauty business for more than a decade but she still goes back to school on a regular basis.

In fact, Kristy, who runs the successful Kristy's On Pako salon in Newtown, says she's always learning new aspects of her chosen profession.

"The retraining process is never-ending, particularly if you want to keep up with the latest cuts, styles and techniques", she

Kristy recently undertook a special training course on Brazilian keratin, a revolutionary treatment for frizzy and unmanageable

Being able to offer this treatment has won her many new fans and customers.

Kristy also recently become expert in the application of the Balayage colour system.

"It's a French system that looks particularly attractive on medium-length hair that's slightly wavy or curly", she says.

Demand for Kristy's expertise has seen her business grow to the extent that she's had to take on a couple of helpers.

Sam Betts and Caitlyn Gratton have been welcomed into fold.

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When it comes to the hair care and beauty treatments, Kristy's On Pako has become a genuine one-stop shop.

A full range of hair care options is available, including, cuts, hair-ups, colourings, foils, perms and specialist treatments.

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Kristy says she has attempted to make the whole business of personal care as easy and hassle-free as possible.

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Community Connections' Renee Gaulke says thousands of children around the state need foster care every night.

"During September we're partnering with local businesses to sell rainbow hairpieces to promote foster care.'

Packs of the hairpieces with foster care information will be stocked at various outlets and schools.

"We hope the campaign will increase public awareness of the need for foster care and encourage people to find out more about becoming a foster carer," Renee says.

Centre for Excellence in Child and Family Welfare is supporting local

As part of the campaign, Community Connections' Foster Care Program in partnership with Geelong agencies has included the rainbow hair logo on the sides of three Benders buses for the month.

Renee says the aim is to raise awareness of foster care.

A list of Rainbow Hair for Foster Care events and locations where hairpieces and information are availabe is at www.fosterabrighterfuture.com.au.

More information on becoming a foster carer is available by phoning Renee or Cheryl Flanagan at Community Connections on 1300 361 680 or by visiting www.comcon-

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Headspace, GPs ask: R U OK?

The Region will check the mental health of its community during an annual R u OK? campaign next Thursday. Headspace Barwon and GP

Association of Geelong are proud to have been instigators of the development of the annual campaign to increase community awareness of the prevalence and the positive support available for anyone experiencing mental illness.

The R u OK? campaign has evolved into a national day, spreading the key messages right across Australia.

Due to overwhelming statistics, with more than one million people experiencing depression, anxiety or related alcohol and drug problems, it is vital Geelong continues to take a lead in turn-



ing the tide against the myths surrounding mental illness.

Headspace Barwon manager Toni van Hamond savs "communication connects communities is the kev.'

"To encourage Geelong to

continue with this important community education initiative we have developed a six-year cyclic approach, with a different teaching focus each year on the topic of mental illness. This year we are emphasising Just Ask," Toni says.

"Asking won't put ideas in their heads. It is in fact a great way to help. We encourage everyone in

business, school, workplace or communities to hold an event to just ask the important question.

Toni said organisations could register events atwww.gpageelong.com.au/ruok Geelong support this unique community education initiative.

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BY ERIC BLAIR

exus' luxury SUV, the LX570 is big, brash and unashamedly a car for the person who wants everything. It can be a lot of things for many people, or at least people with around \$150,000 to spend, and a decent sized garage could be

Because this is a genuine off-road vehicle, a real people mover with plenty of interior space, and an exceptional tow

In particular, the new Lexus has the low noise levels we have come to love in these upmarket Japanese cars for close to two decades now. Even more impressive was the ride comfort, no matter what the road surface the big 4WD simply loped over it with never a sign of it being unsettled.

Few will ever drive a big Lexus offroader hard at corners but it hangs on pretty well considering it weighs in at close to three tonnes.

Body roll isn't too bad and all occupants will travel securely and safely under all conditions, with spacious room inside. The LX570 is a large people mover that provides comfort for up to

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eight people all of whom can be adults, though four adults and four children is a more practical arrangement.

Lexus LX models are often used for heavy duty towing, particularly of horse floats. So the latest model has a big 3500kg braked towing capacity.

All you have to do is have the Lexus dealer add a tow-ball, because the rear chassis rail is already a heavy-duty two-bar.

The LX570 has genuine off-road ability. While almost all vehicles in this rarefied class are pretenders that appear to be 4WDs but are really only suited to soft off-road running, the Lexus has a tough body, variable ride height and the latest in mechanical and electronic aids to provide plenty of ground clearance and excellent traction. It really can go places where few others would dare to go.

The dash panel, seats and trim have all been designed specifically for the LX570. Quality leather, genuine timber, metals and carpet are used throughout.

It comes as no surprise that the quality of finish is astonishingly good, the company has been famed for this since day one. The latest LX series is virtually an



Unashamed: The big and bold, the latest Lexus off-roader is a superb people mover.

LS series limo with four-wheel-drive capability. Lexus uses two air conditioning units that divide the vehicle into four individual zones to give everyone their own private atmosphere by way of 28 different ventilation outlets.

The 570 in the latest LX's title indicates the capacity of its twin-cam 5.7-litre V8 engine. Though it weighs close to three tonnes, the 270 kW and 530 Nm generated powers this 4WD to 100 km/h in only 7.8 seconds.

The LX570 is certainly no economy machine. Indeed, it's thirsty almost to the point of being anti-social. Our testing showed it to use around 11 to 13 litres per hundred kilometres in the gentlest of highway running conditions.

And figures close to 18 litres per hundred kilometres won't be surprising in suburban commuting in traffic.

Australia is very important to Lexus and its parent company Toyota. So Japanese and Australian Lexus engineers got together to test prototypes of the LX570 in the Australian outback and the Great Dividing Range.

Some 200,000 kilometres were covered over a three-year period and many improvements were made as a result.

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Jeep a rugged



Trekking: Jeep Wrangler offers the adventurous family some real off-road freedom.

BY ERIC BLAIR

espite the rapid growth in the number of 4WD/SUV vehicles on the market there are still only about half a dozen vehicles that are capable of handling serious off-road conditions.

When these conditions become ultra-serious the field narrows even further, arguably down to just the Land Rover Defender and the Jeep Wrangler both rough and rugged vehicles with their own distinct pedigree.

Launched in 1987 as the replacement for the longserving Jeep CJ, Wrangler is the closest direct descendant of the legendary World War II Jeep. Even now, 70 years later, the similarity in appearance

between the two vehicles is obvious with its square angular styling, round headlights and characteristic seven-slot grille.

The current Wrangler, released here in 2007, Wrangler is significantly larger than its predecessor and, for the first time comes with the choice between two and four door bodies.

The two-door Wrangler Sport is 133 mm wider and 340 mm longer than the old model while the four-door Wrangler Unlimited is 528 mm longer than the previous two-door. At 2947 mm the Unlimited's wheelbase is 523 mm longer than that of the Sport



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Real deal: This Jeep is a serious off-roader, not a toy as is the case with an increasing number of so-called 4WDs these days.

Other traditional Jeep features such as external bonnet latches and folddown front windscreen have been retained, although to improve the vehicle's aerodynamics the windscreen now has the slightest of curves instead of the flat screen used in previous models.

Wrangler comes with the choice of a 3.8-litre V6 petrol engines. Both provide the torque required for the offroad work, 315 Nm at 4000 rpm from the V6 and 460 Nm between 2000 to 2600 revs from the manual diesel (400 Nm from the automatic). Maximum power is 146 kW and 130 kW respectively

Both Wrangler models come with a six-speed manual gearbox. The fourdoor Unlimited has a five-speed automatic, the Sport makes do with fourspeed

Safety in the new Wrangler has been improved with the inclusion of fourwheel disc ABS brakes, stability and traction control, dual front airbags and optional side airbags.

Wrangler comes with the choice of soft and hard tops, the latter in three separate sections. Removal of either top is a fully manual operation, no push-buttons here, so give yourself plenty of time to put the top back on again if you see rain clouds in the distance.

The Wrangler's Off-road pack is aimed at the serious four wheel driver and includes for the first time on petrol variants electronically controlled rear axle differential lock, 3.73 axle ratio on manual and automatics, and electronic front sway bar disconnect.

Wrangler was recently upgraded for the 2010 model year with the Off-road

pack is now being made available on petrol variants and U-connect multimedia now with a 30 Gb hard disk drive.

Australia is the second largest market for Wrangler outside the USA so the company is treating our market very seriously with the numerous changes announced above being aimed at our local four-wheel drivers' tastes.

By the very nature of being a serious four-wheel drive Wrangler is a compromised vehicle. Its on-road manners are no match for its off-road ability. Saying that, significant steps were taken back in 2007 to improve Wrangler's on-road ride, handling and passenger comfort and it is a far more acceptable proposition than previous

There's no doubt that in off-road conditions the Jeep Wrangler really shines and this is witnessed no more so than in the Rubicon. Wheel travel is enormous, the 410 Nm of torque from the diesel/manual variant is more than adequate, the six-speed transmission, with dual-range, meets just about any challenge and clearances are generally not an issue. The Jeep Wrangler Unlimited,

because of the nature of its long wheelbase is more prone to scraping the centre underbody than the shorter wheelbase vehicle as we found in steep climbs that culminated in a sharp angle to reach the plateau. The Rubicon has the lowest crawl speed we have ever encountered in a production 4WD and its ability to both descend extreme hills at snail's pace and rock-hop ascents has to be experienced to be fully appreciated.



Fully optioned: Both Wrangler models come with a six-speed manual gearbox. The four-door Unlimited has a five-speed automatic, the Sport makes do with four-speed.



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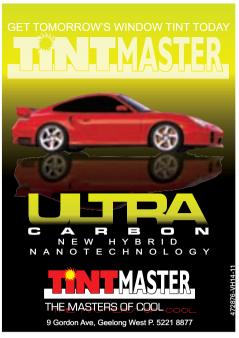
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FORD, Falcon, BA-XT, 2003, sedan, dedicated gas, cruise control, auto, service history, RWC, 110,000 kms. SBO-116. \$19,750.0400091854.

FORD, Falcon GL, 1991, light blue, dual fuel, tinted windows, reg 03/12, WHO-379. \$1,500. 0412 095 721. Geelong.

FORD, Festiva, 1997, manual, burgundy, AC, PS, books, RWC, reg. OHX-321. \$1,950. 0438 859 904. Barwon Heads.

FORD, Laser, 1994, auto-12 months reg., low kms, QFE-930. \$2,800. 0434 831 012. Geelong.



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HOLDEN, Astra City, 2000, 165,000kms, AC, PS, CD, auto sedan. 10 months rego., blue, UNC-309. \$9,000 ono. GC. Sarah 0427 831 375.

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HOLDEN, Commodore, VR, sedan, executive model, dual fuel, excellent body condition, white. NBU-599. \$2,500 ono. 0418 599 034. Highton.



ute 2009. ve, 35 ute, 2009, 6 speed, 70,000kms, 6L, V8, tow bar, RWC, VGC. XCL-557. \$28,500. 0407 814 565.



Acclaim, station wagon, 12/03 VY, dual fuel, 12 months reg., RWC, EC, YLZ-430, \$9,500 ono 0417 444 056. Newtown.



HOLDEN, Commodore SS, ute, 2010, automatic, 1,650kg towbar, 1,350 kms., only driven to golf on Saturdays, built 2010, registered November 2010, RWC, YXA-511. \$29,500 ono. 521. Leopold. 0409 130



HOLDEN, Cruze, CDX 2009, silver, 5 speed manual, all extras, leather interior, EC, 6 months reg., XHX-235. \$19,000. 0409 169 167. Lara.

HOLDEN, Jackaroo, 1992, V6, auto, 7 seater, dual fuel, good reg., WMG-938. \$4,000. 5275-7535. Corio.

HOLDEN, Statesman, 05-06, black, low kms., EC YNK-614. \$23,500. 0401 254 330. Bell Post Hill.

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HONDA, CRV, 2007, black, 1 owner, 58,000kms, VGC, manual. WAF-706. \$20,990. 0409 215 496.

HYUNDAI, Accent, 2000, hatch, manual, 99,000kms, reg. 06/12, grey tinted windows, EC, QGG-983. \$5,500. 0417 363 333. Belmont.



HYUNDAI. Getz. 2007 12 months 64,000kms. reg., RWC, new tyres, alloy wheels, UXT-720. \$10,400 negotiable. 0402 732 942. Belmont.

KIA, Sportage, 4x4, 1998, extras, good rubber, dual fuel, RWC, GC, PFO-087. \$4,600. 5275-6479. Corio.

MAGNA, Verada, 1993, auto, AC, CC, alloys, electric, sports kit, needs new motor, FIY-213. new motor, FIY-2 \$1,800.0430078170.

MAZDA, BT50, 2007, 4WD, galanised tray, extra set of off road wheels and tyres, as new, silver, with bullbar, towbar, low kms, EC, URI-620, \$20,500. 0418 223 586. Irrewarre.



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PROTON, Jumbuck, 2006. 34,000kms, windows, tarp, towbar, EC, RWC, URE-569. \$9,800. 5261-3535. Torquay.



SAAB 1987, 900 GLE, 4 door hatch, manual, sunroof, PS, AC, GC, reliable. TZC-170. \$2,200. 0434 929 435.



SUBARU, Liberty, 2004. Luxury model, wagon, full electrics, AC, leather interior, 140,000kms, tinted windows, SRD-373. \$20,900.0411 720 092.

SUZUKI, Vitara, 1989, rusty but runs well, ideal farm bomb, no reg., no RWC, QXH-464. \$600ono. 5261-4149. Torquay.

TOYOTA, Camry, ALtise, 2005, 2.4lt, auto, low kms, sedan, full service history, RWC, many extras, TJJ-130. \$23,600ono. 0419



TOYOTA, Camry, 1997, 2.2, auto, service history, 146,600kms, reg. until 06/12, EC, RPI-193. \$5,200 with reg. 0419 594 226. St Albans Park.



TOYOTA, Corolla, 1998, AC, m 1998, AC, manual, 180,000kms, reg 12/09, WSN-525. \$5,900 with RWC, \$5,490 without. 0422 446 784.

TOYOTA, Corolla Conquest, 1998, AC, auto, 1.8L, sedan, reg. expires 02/12, RWC, 230,000kms, \$5,000kms, \$6,416 SCG-416. \$5,500ono 0437 651 616. Clifton Springs.

TOYOTA, Conquest, 1997, auto, AC, central locking, low kms, EC, RPI-104, \$6,000 ono. 0402 514 982. Newtown.



TOYOTA, Landcruiser Ute, HZJ-75, 6 cylinder, diesel, 1994, 312,000kms, PTO winch, towbar, VGC, service history, reg. until 10/11, RWC, PVR-403. \$12,500. 0400 051 188. Drysdale.

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TOYOTA, Lexcen, 1991, 6 months reg., GC, no RWC, ODJ-398, \$1,200 ono. 5275-7887. Corio.

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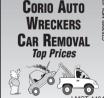
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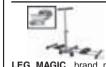
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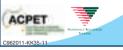
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Panthers to pounce on flag

BELL Post Hill and East Geelong meet at St Alban's Reserve on Saturday, with the winner claiming this season's 2011 Geelong and District Football League

It should surprise no one that these two have made the grand final because they are the standout sides of the year, with only a couple of loses between them during the home-and-away rounds.

Bell Post Hill goes in as slight favourite after beating East both times they met this year.

However, it would be foolish to write off East on this statistic alone.

Leading the way for the Panthers are coach Brent Grgic, Justin Tarr and Matt Jovanovic who offer marking ability around the ground.

The big St Alban's ground lends itself to fast-running sides but it also helps out big forwards who can lead into space and find themselves in one-on-one

East has a few key forwards itself, with league best-and-fairest and goal-kicking award winner

Local **Footy**



Lucas Murphy proving a match winner last week. He gets good support from Ryan Closter and Adam Skrobalak who doesn't mind kicking goals when relieved of ruck duties.

This will be a standout game of local footy, with Bell Post Hill set to make it back-to-back flags after an enthralling game against a worthy challenger.

East Geelong and Anakie clash in the reserves, while North Geelong and Bannockburn fight it out for the under-18s premiership.

Netball grand finals will also be played at St

Centrals in the A-grade final.

Skilled Stadium hosts a semi-final weekend of Geelong Football League action, with two games

Saturday's second semi-final between Bell Park and South Barwon will advance the winner to the grand final and assume premiership favouritism.

Bell Park finished on top of the ladder and has had a hugely successful season but one thing it couldn't do was beat South Barwon. This habit has been evident over a number of seasons and must now be a burden to the Dragons.

Expect that to change on Saturday, with the Dragons drawing a line in the sand and winning well.

Sunday's first semi-final between St Joseph's and Newtown pits the great rivals in a game that will end with the loser out of the finals race.

Newtown beat Colac last week but looked a bit classier outfit and should win a close one.

Alban's, with Winchelsea expected to beat Werribee out of sorts, while Joeys was well and truly in the hunt against South Barwon in the qualifying final before succumbing after half-time.

Both sides will be better for having a run at Skilled Stadium but it will be Joeys that wins this one.

Bellarine Football League plays its preliminary final on Saturday at Drysdale, with Queenscliff and Anglesea playing for the right to take on Amateurs next week for the premiership.

Anglesea surprised many when it beat Ocean Grove last week and looked on song with David Mensch and Christian Robertson showing age has failed to weary them.

It's hard to judge which Anglesea side will take to the field mentally, as the Roo's can be hot or cold.

On the other hand, Queenscliff gives its all week after week and its endeavour can never be questioned.

Anglesea is up and about but the Coutas look a

Anglers on the outer but successful at catching snapper on lure



ANGLERS trolling for snapper hit the big time in the past week, with good numbers taken from the outer harbour.

Terry Knowles trolled the Wilson Spit area to catch four over 4kg each.

Nearby Paul Jeffrie also landed four fish, his best a beauty of 6.7kg.

But the best fish taken for the week on lure was by Danny Skene. At over 7.5kg, they don't get much better in our waters.

Lures getting the results were Dr Evil, Koolie Minnows and Tail Dancers, all of which can dive to

Not to be outdone, Peter Bennet fished the innerharbour twice for a total seven snapper between 2 and 4kg on fresh pilchards.

Soft plastics anglers found plenty of small snapper from the outer edge of Royal Geelong Yacht Club's wall along with some nice snotty trevalla. Turtleback worms were the best lure.

The Stingaree spoil grounds produced a variety of species, with whiting and small snapper dominating. Both bait and soft plastics were successful.

Salmon were present close to Alcoa Pier, with Paul Sparks trolling the area to catch plenty of fish from 900g to just over 1kg on laser lures.

Joe McMahon found plenty of squid on the inshore grass beds at Hermsley. Most were around 500g but he landed two better than 1kg, with small Yamashita jigs best.

Squid were also taken from St Leonards to Edwards Point, also on small, natural coloured jigs Whiting numbers improved, with results coming



Allure of lures: This outer-harbour snapper had no problem smacking a well-presented lure.

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from Coles Channel all the way to St Leonards. The afternoon tides have been best.

Terry Richmond had a ball catching quality silver trevally in Queenscliff's cut. With the fish nudging 1.5kg, it might be worth fishing the cut with soft plastics an hour either side of high tide.

Salmon were caught in the Barwon River estuary. Andrew Delica found some nice fish over 1kg while

using soft plastics.

Offshore waters over 40m produced some good numbers of snapper, with the inshore reefs harbouring small pinkies.

The influx of small snapper offshore has also brought thresher sharks including a few lost on light snapper gear.

Silvio Santori tried trolling Rapala X Rap 30s out-

side of The Rip this week but failed to land a thrasher, although he hooked two fish estimated around 40kg each.

Surf anglers struggled to find the salmon in calm, clear water along the coast last week. The mouth of the St George River produced fish to 1kg for lure casters, while similar results were reported from Cinema Point.

Freshwater reports improved by the day. Lake Tooliorook returned plenty of trout averaging 1kg, with similar fish taken from Deep Lake and Bostock and West Moorabool reservoirs.

Stuart Osborne fished West Barwon Reservoir where he landed two small rainbow trout but a 2.8kg brown made his day. Stuart used a Lil Ripper lure in the clear minnow colour, finding the fish active late in the afternoon. Lake Purrumbete continued to produce any num-

ber of redfin on ice jigs or bobbers but the trout has had everyone excited. Fish of all sizes have been being taken, with anglers never knowing what will hit their lure or bait next.

Lake Elingamite produced redfin to well over 1kg along with trout close to 2.5kg. Lures were best, especially when slow-trolling small, bibbed offerings such as Rapalas, SX 40s and Cherry Bloods.

Most anglers struggled to land fish from our streams on the official opening of the trout season, with the water still a little discoloured.

However, Corey Gallagher hit Aire River in the Otways where the perfect water conditions yielded small brown trout on offer. Early morning and evening hosted the most activity for Corey's mix of hard-bodied and soft plastic lures.

Conditions looking unfavourable for the weekend but plenty of options remain. Freshwater destinations include Bostock or West Moorabool reser-

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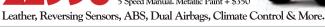




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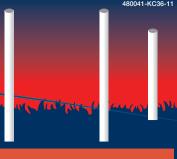
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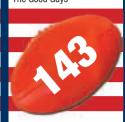
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Built on the highest ground of the estate, you can enjoy the magnificent views of Corio Bay while preparing meals in the kitchen, relaxing in the living rooms or dining with friends and family in the alfresco dining area. The home consists of 4 bedrms (4th bedrm/ study) & is a two storey brick veneer home. Consisting of two living areas as well as an open plan kitchen/meals area. An added advantage attached to this property is another dwelling on its title, which is currently tenanted & returning a weekly income. Only a 10 min drive into Geelong and 15 to 20 min's to the local beaches, you will be able to enjoy the country lifestyle but still be close to a developing regional centre in Geelong. Features including, an opportunity for Bed & breakfast or a boutique winery (STCA), est gardens, 7 lush green acres, large shed & 2 car carport. The home has a relaxed environment with outstanding features and presentation.

Inspection: By appointment

David Phillips 0448 441 669 Contact:

EAST GEELONG - 40 St Albans Road

AUCTION

Consisting of 3 spacious bedrooms (M/bedroom with En-suite and WIRs) 2 living areas, 2 bathrooms, powder room & a spacious laundry with plenty of storage space. There is an open plan kitchen & large formal dining room with access to an outdoor deck undercover alfresco dining area. The new kitchen includes "Ceaser Stone" bench tops, "ILve" electric oven & gas cook top, Bosch s/steel dishwasher & a "Blanco" s/steel exhaust. The entire home has been freshly painted, low maintenance garden installed, new side fencing including a secured & solid front fence. Fitted with an alarm system & temperature controlled by evaporative cooling or gas ducted heating. The home if fitted with Tassie Oak hard wood flooring through most of the house with new carpet in all the bedrooms & newly tiled wet areas. Included is a spacious 2 ½ car garage with automatic roller door with workshop at rear.

Auction: Saturday 15th October at 12:30pm

Inspection: By appointment

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NORTH SHORE - 53 The Esplanade

FOR SALE \$795,000 - \$855,000

What a great opportunity to purchase one of the few undeveloped properties on Geelong's amazing waterfront. Offering a fantastic opportunity to restore this amazing weatherboard home back το its former giory or develop th location in to your ideal home or investment. With easy access to Melbourne and Geelong CBD, this property and location could be your ideal location for a "bay change". Located only meters from the water's edge, enjoying the wonderful views of Corio Bay and Geelong's night lights will become a daily ritual. A building and planning permit have been approved for subdivision of the property and on request are a set of plans and architectural drawings for the proposed development. This is a very unique opportunity to purchase a property with a block size of 924sqm's (approx) with the potential for development or renovation and having fantastic views of the bay.

Inspection: By appointment

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WANDANA HEIGHTS - 38-42 Cityview Drive

This is a "First Class" location needing a "First Class" home on 4256 sqm of prime living space near the top of Wandana Heights. It has Breathtaking views of Geelong, the Bellarine, taking in both Corio & Port Phillip Bays, with astounding night skies and city lights. Gives easy access to the Ring Road, Surfcoast and the Bellarine. Just minutes to local schools, Deakin University, shopping centres and Geelong City.

Contact: Peter Julian 0422 800 400 & Geoffrey Moss 0403 588 864



HIGHTON - Ascend Estate Development Site for 3 This 1131m2 site overlooking the reserve in the Barrabool Hills offers the clever builder/designer the opportunity to

build stunning townhouses. Located in the Ascend estate close to everything that is great about Highton. The finished product will be highly sought after as its only a short walk to the proposed new shopping centre in Highton. Get your

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